



Wolgast Aided by the Referee Gets Decision Over Rivers

Wolgaest, the snarl of battle on his lips, a veritable ring demon, was forcing Rivers in front of him along the ropes on the north side of the ring. Flashing out, the champion sent a right to the body and followed with a low left to the belt territory. Rivers crashed to the floor under this crushing assault, and the force of the delivery carried Ad toppling over on top of the Mexican.

To the newspaper men rushed Rogers with this statement:

"It was the most gigantic swindle, the most wholesale bit of robbery that ever came to my notice.

"As early as 10 o'clock this morning it came to my ears that a plot was on foot whereby Wolgast was to be given a victory no matter what the

Welch added that he did not declare bets off, although a statement to that effect was shouted from the ring while the confusion was at its height.

gast found much difficulty in hitting Rivers. Wolgast was wild. Again he missed and the Mexican put in left and right to wind. It was Rivers'

game for his team when he yanked Williams with the bases full and no outs in the seventh putting Hildebrand in his place. The eccentric "Rube" retired the side without a score.